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1. U.S. Patent No. 5,991,773 to Tagawa.
2. Simonson et al., "Version Augmented URIs for Reference Permanence via an Apache Module Design," Computer Networks and ISDN Systems, Vol. 30, No. 1-7, 337-345 (April 1998).

The following reference was initially submitted in an IDS dated June 28, 1999 but was not considered by the Examiner, because the date was unknown:

3. Stuart Weibel et al., "PURLs: Persistent Uniform Resource Locators," downloaded from <http://purl.oclc.org/OCLC/OURL/SUMMARY>(downloaded on (2/22/99)).

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